

**Remarks**

Claims 1-12 were pending.

Claims 1-9 and 11 are amended.

Claims 10 and 12 are cancelled.

Claims 13-22 are new.

The application now contains claims 1-22.

Claims 1-9 are amended to remove multiple ranges.

Claims 3, 6, and 11 are amended to remove multiple dependencies.

Claim 8 is further amended to change the term "obtainable" to "obtained".

Claim 11 is further amended to incorporate the limitations of original claim 10 and 12.

Claims 13-15 are added to reclaim material deleted from claims 1, 2 and 4 respectively.

Claims 16 and 17 are added to reclaim material deleted from claim 5.

Claims 18 and 19 are added to reclaim material deleted from claim 9.

Claims 20-22 are added to reclaim material deleted from claim 11.

No new matter is added.

Consideration of the present claims on their merits is respectfully awaited.

Respectfully submitted,



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